

## **REMARKS**

After entry of the present Response, claims 1 and 3-9 remain in the application with claim 1 in independent form.

Original claims 1-16 stand subject to a restriction requirement. More specifically, the Examiner has restricted the application to one of the following inventions:

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| Group I  | claims 1 and 3-9, drawn to a method of applying a 2 <sup>nd</sup> organopolysiloxane to a 1 <sup>st</sup> organopolysiloxane;   |
| Group II | claims 2 and 10-16, drawn to a method of applying a 1 <sup>st</sup> organopolysiloxane to a 2 <sup>nd</sup> organopolysiloxane. |

In response to this restriction, the Applicant elects Group I, claims 1 and 3-9, drawn to a method of applying a 2<sup>nd</sup> organopolysiloxane to a 1<sup>st</sup> organopolysiloxane. Claims 2 and 10-16 have been cancelled.

The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any additional fees or credit any overpayment to our Deposit Account No. 08-2789.

Respectfully submitted,  
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